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Dr. Roy Godson Coordinator Consortium for the Study of Intelligence 1730 Rhode Island Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20036

Dear Roy:

Thank you for your generous invitation to join the Consortium in its deliberations on August 1st. I regret that prior commitments will not permit me to do so.

I've reviewed the information you sent and am much impressed by the distinguished group you intend to convene. It seems to me your selected faculty will be in mighty competent hands.

I applaud the motives underlying your program. More interest and discussion by the academic community regarding national intelligence and its role and requirements can only serve us well. I wish the Consortium great success.

Sincerely,

/s/ Bill

William J. Casey

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